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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

ATTENTION: [ ]

SUBJECT: Budget for PB Success

1. On 10 October 1953 I discussed the Budget for PB Success with DD/P indicating that preparatory work on the project had reached the point where positive financial commitments were being made in spite of the fact that no official confirmation had been received from DCI as to final approval and availability of the \$3,000,000 requested for this operation.

2. DD/P stated that he had just reminded DCI about the PB Success financial requirement. DD/P said: "that the DCI appreciates the need for finalizing this issue and that he will attend to it personally."

3. DD/P further stated that he realized the importance of this matter and would follow it up.

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Chief, PP/OPS

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